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Mr. Albert Richardson Chevron USA, Inc. PO Box 1392 Bakersfield, CA 93302

Re: Notice of Minor Title V Permit Modification

District Facility # C-311 **Project # 1142652** 

Dear Mr. Richardson:

Enclosed is the District's analysis of your application for minor Title V permit modification for the facility identified above. You proposed a Title V minor permit modification to incorporate recently issued C-311-111-7, '265-0 and '266-0' (under project 1142652) into the Title V operating permit. The ATCs authorized a new 250 bbl drain tank and a new 1000 bbl vessel.

Enclosed is the engineering evaluation with the following attachments: proposed modified Title V permit, recently issued C-311-111-7, '265-0 and '266-0, emission increases, application, and previous Title V permit. This project will be subject to a 45-day EPA commenting period prior to the District taking final action.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Leonard Scandura, Permit Services Manager, at (661) 392-5500.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

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**Director of Permit Services** 

**Enclosures** 

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Executive Director/Air Pollution Control Officer

#### TITLE V APPLICATION REVIEW

Minor Modification Project #: 1142652

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Facility Number: C-311

Facility Name: Chevron USA, Inc.

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#### I. **PROPOSAL**

Chevron USA, Inc. (CUSA) is proposing a Title V minor permit modification to incorporate the recently issued ATCs C-311-111-7, '265-0 and '266-0 into the Title V operating permit. The ATCs authorized a new 250 bbl drain tank and a new 1000 bbl vessel.

#### 11. **FACILITY LOCATION**

The tank and vessel are located at the 24D Claremont OCP in Western Coalinga Oilfield, in the Northeast Quarter of Section 24D, Township 20S, Range 14E MDB&M. The C-311 facility is included in CUSA's Fresno County Heavy Oil Stationary Source.

#### III. **EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION**

Proposed Title V Operating Permit:

C-311-111-8: TEOR OPERATION WITH 70 STEAM ENHANCED WELLS SERVED BY WELL VENT VAPOR CONTROL SYSTEM #CC-1-13D WITH SEPARATOR, LOW PRESSURE AIR COOLER AND CONDENSATE COLLECTOR (13 D SOUTHEAST)

C-311-265-1: 1000 BBL VESSEL CLAREMONT T-1 (SILVER BULLET) SERVED BY VAPOR **CONTROL SYSTEM LISTED ON C-311-111** 

C-311-266-1: 250 BBL CRUDE OIL DRAIN TANK CLAREMONT T-6

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the source would otherwise be subject. Such terms and conditions include:

- A federally enforceable emission cap assumed to avoid classification as a modification under any provisions of Title I of the Federal Clean Air Act; and
- b. An alternative emissions limit approved pursuant to regulations promulgated under section 112(i)(5) of the Federal Clean Air Act; and
- Are not Title I modifications as defined in District Rule 2520 or modifications as defined in section 111 or 112 of the Federal Clean Air Act; and
- 6. Do not seek to consolidate overlapping applicable requirements.

In accordance with Rule 2520, the application meets the procedural requirements of section 11.4 by including;

- 1. A description of the change, the emissions resulting from the change, and any new applicable requirements that will apply if the change occurs;
- 2. The source's suggested draft permit; and
- 3. Certification by a responsible official that the proposed modification meets the criteria for use of minor permit modification procedures and a request that such procedures be used.

# San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District

**PERMIT UNIT:** C-311-111-8

SECTION: 13 TOWNSHIP: 20S RANGE: 14E

**EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION:** 

TEOR OPERATION WITH 70 STEAM ENHANCED WELLS SERVED BY WELL VENT VAPOR CONTROL SYSTEM #CC-1-13D WITH SEPARATOR, LOW PRESSURE AIR COOLER AND CONDENSATE COLLECTOR (13 D SOUTHEAST)

#### PERMIT UNIT REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Operation of the low pressure air cooler is optional. [District NSR Rule] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 2. Maximum VOC content of the gas in the casing gas collection system shall not exceed 10% by weight. [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 3. An operator shall not operate a steam-enhanced crude oil production well unless the operator complies with either of the following requirements: The steam-enhanced crude oil production well vent is closed and the front line production equipment downstream of the wells that carry produced fluids (crude oil or mixture of crude oil and water) is connected to a VOC collection and control system as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401, the well vent may be temporarily opened during periods of attended service or repair of the well provided such activity is done as expeditiously as possible with minimal spillage of material and VOC emissions to the atmosphere, or the steam-enhanced crude oil production well vent is open and the well vent is connected to a VOC collection and control system as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401. [District Rules 2201 and 4401, 5.5.1 and 5.5.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 4. Collected vapors shall be piped to 1) District steam generators approved by the District for TEOR gas incineration, or 2) DOGGR approved vapor disposal well(s), or 3) balanced piping network. [District Rules 2201 and 4401] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 5. Permittee shall provide District with a copy of DOGGR approval for each vapor disposal well prior to use for vapor injection. [District Rule 1070 and 2520, 9.3.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 6. Operator shall test the VOC content of the TEOR vapors no less than annually. [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 7. The VOC content by weight percent (wt.%) shall be determined using American Society of Testing and Materials (ASTM) D1945 for gases and South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) Method 304-91 or the latest revision of ASTM Method E168, E169 or E260 for liquids. [District Rule 4401, 6.3.4] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 8. During the time any steam-enhanced crude oil production well is undergoing service or repair while the well is not producing, it shall be exempt from the emission control requirements of District Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 4.1] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 9. Gas and liquid leaks are as defined in Section 3.20 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 3.20] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 10. The inspection requirements of Section 5.4.1 through Section 5.4.7 of Rule 4401 shall not apply to components exclusively handling gas/vapor or liquid with a VOC content of ten percent by weight (10%) or less, as determined by the test methods in Section 6.3.4 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 4.7] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

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- 11. Except for pipes and unsafe-to-monitor components, an operator shall inspect all other components pursuant to the requirements of Section 6.3.3 of Rule 4401 at least once every year. [District Rule 4401, 5.4.1] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 12. An operator shall visually inspect all pipes at least once every year. Any visual inspection of pipes that indicates a leak that cannot be immediately repaired to meet the leak standards of this rule shall be inspected within 24 hours after detecting the leak. If a leak is found, the leak shall be repaired as soon as practicable but not later than the time frame specified in Table 3 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 5.4.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 13. In addition to the inspections required by Section 5.4.1 of Rule 4401, an operator shall inspect for leaks all accessible operating pumps, compressors, and PRDs in service as follows: An operator shall audio-visually (by hearing and by sight) inspect for leaks all accessible operating pumps, compressors, and PRDs in service at least once each calendar week. Any audio-visual inspection of an accessible operating pump, compressor, and PRD performed by an operator that indicates a leak that cannot be immediately repaired to meet the leak standards of this rule shall be inspected not later than 24 hours after conducting the audio-visual inspection. If a leak is found, the leak shall be repaired as soon as practicable but not later than the time frame specified in Table 3 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 5.4.3] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 14. In addition to the inspections required by Sections 5.4.1, 5.4.2 and 5.4.3 of Rule 4401, operator shall perform the following: initially inspect a PRD that releases to the atmosphere as soon as practicable but not later than 24 hours after the discovery of the release, re-inspect the PRD not earlier than 24 hours after the initial inspection but not later than 15 calendar days after the initial inspection, inspect all new, replaced, or repaired fittings, flanges, and threaded connections within 72 hours of placing the component in service. Except for PRDs subject to the requirements of Section 5.4.4.1 of Rule 4401, an operator shall inspect a component that has been repaired or replaced not later than 15 calendar days after the component was repaired or replaced. [District Rule 4401, 5.4.4] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 15. An operator shall inspect all unsafe-to-monitor components during each turnaround. [District Rule 4401, 5.4.5] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 16. District inspection in no way fulfills any of the mandatory inspection requirements that are placed upon operators and cannot be used or counted as an inspection required of an operator. [District Rule 4401, 5.4.6] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 17. An operator shall be in violation of this rule if any District inspection demonstrates or if any operator inspection conducted pursuant to Section 5.4 of Rule 4401 demonstrates the existence of an open-ended line or a valve located at the end of the line that is not sealed with a blind flange, plug, cap, or a second closed valve that is not closed at all times, except during attended operations as defined by Section 5.2.2.1 of Rule 4401 requiring process fluid flow through the open-ended lines, a component with a major liquid leak, or a component with a gas leak greater than 50,000 ppmv. Notwithstanding the above, wells that are not operating are exempt from these requirements while undergoing service or repair. [District Rule 4401, 4.0, 5.2.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 18. An operator shall be in violation of this rule if any District inspection demonstrates or if any operator inspection conducted pursuant to Section 5.4 of Rule 4401 demonstrates the existence of any combination of components with minor liquid leaks, minor gas leaks, or a gas leaks greater than 10,000 ppmv up to 50,000 ppmv that totals more than number of leaks allowed by Table 2 of Rule 4401. Notwithstanding the above, wells that are not operating are exempt from these requirements while undergoing service or repair. [District Rule 4401, 4.0, 5.2.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 19. An operator shall not use any component with a leak as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401, or that is found to be in violation of the provisions of Section 5.2.2 of Rule 4401. However, components that were found leaking may be used provided such leaking components have been identified with a tag for repair, are repaired, or awaiting re-inspection after being repaired within the applicable time frame specified in Section 5.5 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 5.3.1] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

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- 20. Each hatch shall be closed at all times except during sampling or adding of process material through the hatch, or during attended repair, replacement, or maintenance operations, provided such activities are done as expeditiously as possible with minimal spillage of material and VOC emissions to the atmosphere. [District Rule 4401, 5.3.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 21. An operator shall comply with the requirements of Section 6.7 of Rule 4401 if there is any change in the description of major components or critical components. [District Rule 4401, 5.3.3] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 22. An operator shall affix a readily visible weatherproof tag to a leaking component upon detection of the leak and shall include the following information on the tag: date and time of leak detection, date and time of leak measurement, for a gaseous leak, the leak concentration in ppmv, for a liquid leak, whether it is a major liquid leak or a minor liquid leak, whether the component is an essential component, an unsafe-to monitor component, or a critical component. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.1] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 23. An operator shall keep the tag affixed to the component until an operator has met all of the following conditions: repaired or replaced the leaking component, re-inspected the component using the test method in Section 6.3.3, and the component is found to be in compliance with the requirements of this rule. [District Rule 4401 5.5.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 24. An operator shall minimize a component leak in order to stop or reduce leakage to the atmosphere immediately to the extent possible, but not later than one (1) hour after detection of the leak. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.3] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 25. Except for leaking critical components or leaking essential components subject to the requirements of Section 5.5.7 of Rule 4401, if an operator has minimized a leak but the leak still exceeds the applicable leak limits as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401, an operator shall comply with at least one of the following requirements as soon as practicable but not later than the time period specified in Table 3 of Rule 4401: Repair or replace the leaking component; or vent the leaking component to a VOC collection and control system as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401, or remove the leaking component from operation. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.4] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 26. The repair period in calendar days shall not exceed 14 days for minor gas leaks, 5 days for major gas leaks less than or equal to 50,000 ppmv, 2 days for gas leak greater than 50,000 ppmv, 3 days for minor liquid leaks, 2 days for major liquid leaks. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.4] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 27. The leak rate measured after leak minimization has been performed shall be the leak rate used to determine the applicable repair period specified in Table 3 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.5] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 28. The time of the initial leak detection shall be the start of the repair period specified in Table 3 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.6] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 29. If the leaking component is an essential component or a critical component that cannot be immediately shut down for repairs, and if the leak has been minimized but the leak still exceeds the applicable leak standard of this rule, the operator shall repair or replace the essential component or critical component to eliminate the leak during the next process unit turnaround, but in no case later than one year from the date of the original leak detection, whichever comes earlier. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.7] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 30. The operator of any steam-enhanced crude oil production well shall maintain records of the date and well identification where steam injection or well stimulation occurs. [District Rule 4401, 6.1.1] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 31. An operator of any steam-enhanced crude oil production well shall keep source test records which demonstrate compliance with the control efficiency requirements of the VOC collection and control system as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 6.1.3] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 32. Operator of any steam-enhanced crude oil production well shall keep an inspection log maintained pursuant to Section 6.4 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 6.1.4] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

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- 33. Records of each calibration of the portable hydrocarbon detection instrument utilized for inspecting components, including a copy of current calibration gas certification from the vendor of said calibration gas cylinder, the date of calibration, concentration of calibration gas, instrument reading of calibration gas before adjustment, instrument reading of calibration gas after adjustment, calibration gas expiration date, and calibration gas cylinder pressure at the time of calibration shall be maintained. [District Rule 4401, 6.1.5] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 34. An operator shall maintain copies at the facility of the training records of the training program operated pursuant to Section 6.5 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 6.1.6] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 35. Operator shall keep a copy of the APCO-approved Operator Management Plan at the facility. [District Rule 4401, 6.1.7] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 36. Operator shall keep a list of all gauge tanks, as defined in Section 3.17 of Rule 4401. The list shall contain the size, identification number, the location of each gauge tank and specify whether the gauge tank is upstream of all front line production equipment. [District Rule 4401, 6.1.8] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 37. The results of gauge tank TVP testing conducted pursuant to Section 6.2.3 shall be submitted to the APCO within 60 days after the completion of the testing. [District Rule 4401, 6.1.9] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 38. An operator that discovers that a PRD has released shall record the date that the release was discovered, and the identity and location of the PRD that released. An operator shall submit such information recorded during the calendar year to the APCO no later than 60 days after the end of the calendar year. [District Rule 4401, 6.1.10] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 39. An operator shall source test annually all vapor collection and control systems used to control emissions from steamenhanced crude oil production well vents to determine the control efficiency of the device(s) used for destruction or removal of VOC. Compliance testing shall be performed annually by source testers certified by ARB. Testing shall be performed during June, July, August, or September of each year if the system's control efficiency is dependent upon ambient air temperature. A process system as defined in Section 3.30 of Rule 4401 is not subject to compliance source testing requirements. [District Rule 4401, 6.2.1] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 40. If approved by EPA, ARB, and the APCO, an operator need not comply with the annual testing requirement of Section 6.2.1 if all uncondensed VOC emissions collected by a vapor collection are controlled by an internal combustion engine subject to Rule 4702, a combustion device subject to Rule 4320, 4307 or 4308, a flare subject to Rule 4311. [District Rule 4401, 6.2.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 41. An operator shall comply with the following requirements for each gauge tank, as defined in Section 3.17 of Rule 4401: Conduct periodic TVP testing of each gauge tank at least once every 24 months during summer (July -September), and whenever there is a change in the source or type of produced fluid in the gauge tank. The TVP testing shall be conducted at the actual storage temperature of the produced fluid in the gauge tank using the applicable TVP test method specified in Section 6.4 of Rule 4623 (Storage of Organic Liquids). The operator shall submit the TVP testing results to the APCO as specified in Section 6.1.9 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 6.2.3] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- The control efficiency of any VOC control device, measured and calculated as carbon, shall be determined by EPA Method 25, except when the outlet concentration must be below 50 ppm in order to meet the standard, in which case EPA Method 25a may be used. EPA Method 18 may be used in lieu of EPA Method 25 or EPA Method 25a provided the identity and approximate concentrations of the analytes/compounds in the sample gas stream are known before analysis with the gas chromatograph and the gas chromatograph is calibrated for each of those known analyte/compound to ensure that the VOC concentrations are neither under- or over-reported. [District Rule 4401, 6.3.1] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 43. VOC content shall be analyzed by using the latest revision of ASTM Method E168, E169, or E260 as applicable. Analysis of halogenated exempt compounds shall be performed by using ARB Method 432. [District Rule 4401, 6.3.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

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- 44. Leak inspection, other than audio-visual, and measurements of gaseous leak concentrations shall be conducted according to EPA Method 21 using an appropriate portable hydrocarbon detection instrument calibrated with methane. The instrument shall be calibrated in accordance with the procedures specified in EPA Method 21 or the manufacturer's instruction, as appropriate, not more than 30 days prior to its use. The operator shall record the calibration date of the instrument. Where safety is a concern, such as measuring leaks from compressor seals or pump seals when the shaft is rotating, a person shall measure leaks by placing the instrument probe inlet at a distance of one (1) centimeter or less from the surface of the component interface. [District Rule 4401, 6.3.3] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 45. Operator shall maintain an inspection log in which an operator records, at a minimum, all of the following information for each inspection performed: The total number of components inspected, total number and percentage of leaking components found by component type, location, type, and name or description of each leaking component and description of any unit where the leaking component is found, date of leak detection and the method of leak detection. For gaseous leaks, the leak concentration in ppmv, and for liquid leaks record whether the leak is a major liquid leak or a minor liquid leak. the date of repair, replacement, or removal from operation of leaking components, identify and location of essential components and critical components found leaking that cannot be repaired until the next process unit turnaround or not later than one year after leak detection, whichever comes earlier, methods used to minimize the leak from essential components and critical components found leaking that cannot be repaired until the next process unit turnaround or not later than one year after leak detection, whichever comes earlier, the date of re-inspection and the leak concentration in ppmv after the component is repaired or is replaced, the inspector's name, business mailing address, and business telephone number, date and signature of the facility operator responsible for the inspection and repair program certifying the accuracy of the information recorded in the log. [District Rule 4401, 6.4] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 46. Permittee shall establish and implement an employee training program for inspecting and repairing components and recordkeeping procedures, as necessary. [District Rule 4401, 6.5] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 47. In accordance with the approved Operator Management Plan (OMP), permittee shall meet all applicable operating, leak standards, inspection and re-inspection, leak repair, record keeping, and notification requirements of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 6.6] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 48. By January 30 of each year, permittee shall submit to the APCO for approval, in writing, an annual report indicating any changes to the existing, approved OMP. [District Rule 4401, 6.7] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 49. {1667} Compliance with permit conditions in the Title V permit shall be deemed in compliance with the following requirements: County Rules 108 (Kings), 108.1 (Fresno, Merced, San Joaquin, Tulare, Kern, and Stanislaus), and 110 (Madera). A permit shield is granted from these requirements. [District Rule 2520, 13.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 50. {1311} The requirements of SJVUAPCD Rule 4407 (Adopted May 19, 1994) do not apply to this permit unit. A permit shield is granted from this requirement. [District Rule 2520, 13.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 51. Permittee shall maintain a current roster of all wells connected to this system. [District NSR Rule and 4401] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 52. Records of the VOC content of the gas shall be maintained and made readily available for District inspection upon request for a period of 5 years. [District Rules 1070 and 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 53. {520} The operator shall maintain all records of required monitoring data and support information for inspection at any time for a period of five years. [District Rule 2520, 9.5.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

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Location: HEAVY OIL PRODUCTION, UTM 10S 734,027E 4,007, 848N 20 ALTINGA, FRESNO COUNTY, CA 93210

#### San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District

**PERMIT UNIT:** C-311-265-1

SECTION: NE 24 TOWNSHIP: 20S RANGE: 14E

**EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION:** 

1000 BBL VESSEL SERVED BY VAPOR CONTROL SYSTEM LISTED ON C-311-111

### PERMIT UNIT REQUIREMENTS

- Maximum VOC content of tank/vessel vapors shall not exceed 10% by weight. [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- Operator shall conduct and keep records of quarterly sampling of tank/vessel vapors to qualify for exemption from fugitive component counts for components handling fluids with less than 10% VOC by weight. If fluids sampled are less than 10% VOC by weight for eight consecutive quarterly samplings, sampling frequency shall only be required annually. [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- Vessel shall only store, place, or hold organic liquid with true vapor pressure (TVP) less than 0.5 psia under all storage conditions. [District Rules 2201 and 4623] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- A leak-free condition is defined as a condition without a gas leak. A gas leak is defined as a reading in excess of 10,000 ppmy, above background, as measured by a portable hydrocarbon detection instrument in accordance with the procedures specified in EPA Test Method 21. [District Rule 2520] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- Except as otherwise provided on this permit, this tank and vapor control system shall be maintained in a leak-free condition. [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- A leak-free condition is defined as a condition without a gas leak. A gas leak is defined as a reading in excess of 10,000 parts per million by volume (ppmv), as methane, above background on a portable hydrocarbon detection instrument that is calibrated with methane in accordance with EPA Method 21, [District Rule 4623, 3.11 and 3.17] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- Any tank gauging or sampling device on a tank vented to the vapor recovery system shall be equipped with a leak-free cover which shall be closed at all times except during gauging or sampling. [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- The operator shall determine the true vapor pressure of the petroleum liquid stored in the tank at least once per year in accordance with methods described in this permit and District Rule 4623. Determinations shall be made annually during the summer and whenever there is a change in the source or type of petroleum entering the tank. As used in this permit, the term "source or type of petroleum" shall mean petroleum liquids with similar characteristics. This determination is to be done so that proper inspection, maintenance and tank cleaning procedures can be made per District Rule 4623, Section 5.7, prior to storing liquids in any permitted tank with a TVP equal to or greater than 0.5 psia. Determination can be made using representative sampling of common sources in the first line tank (or tanks) in a tank battery that is first receiving the produced fluids (mixture of oil, water, and gases) from the crude oil production wells, [District Rule 2201 and District Rules 2520, 9.3.2 and 4623, 5.7] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

The TVP testing shall be conducted at actual storage temperature of the organic liquid in the tank. The permittee shall also conduct an API gravity testing. [District Rule 4623] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

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- 10. The API gravity of crude oil or petroleum distillate shall be determined by using ASTM Method D 287 el "Standard Test Method for API Gravity of Crude Petroleum and Petroleum Products (Hydrometer Method). Sampling for API gravity shall be performed in accordance with ASTM Method D 4057 "Standard Practices for Manual Sampling of Petroleum and Petroleum Products." [District Rule 4623, 6.4.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 11. For crude oil with an API gravity of 26 degrees or less, the TVP shall be determined using the latest version of the Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory "test Method for Vapor pressure of Reactive Organic Compounds in Heavy Crude Oil Using Gas Chromatograph", as approved by ARB and EPA. [District Rule 4623, 6.4.4] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 12. When storing organic liquids of TVP less than 0.5 psia, all piping, fittings, and valves shall be inspected annually by the facility operator in accordance with EPA Method 21, with the instrument calibrated with methane, to ensure compliance with the provisions of this permit. If any of the tank components are found to leak during an annual inspection, the inspection frequency for that component type shall be changed from annual to quarterly. If no tank components are subsequently found to be leaking during five consecutive inspections, the inspection frequency may be changed from quarterly to annual. Components located in inaccessible (over 15 feet above ground when access is required from the ground or over 6 feet away from a platform when access is required from the platform) locations shall be inspected at least annually and components located in unsafe areas shall be inspected and repaired at the next process unit turnaround (the scheduled shutdown of a unit for maintenance and repair work). [District Rule 2520, 9.3.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 13. When storing organic liquids of TVP less than 0.5 psia, a facility operator, upon detection of a leaking component, shall affix to that component a weatherproof readily visible tag bearing the date on which the leak is detected. The tag shall remain in place until the leaking component is repaired, reinspected and found to be in compliance with the requirements of this rule. [District Rule 2520, 9.3.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 14. When storing organic liquids of TVP less than 0.5 psia, an operator shall reinspect a component for leaks within thirty working days after the date on which the component is repaired. [District Rule 2520, 9.3.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 15. When storing organic liquids of TVP less than 0.5 psia, emissions from components which have been tagged by the facility operator for repair within 15 calendar days or which have been repaired and are awaiting re-inspection shall not be in violation of this permit. [District Rule 2520, 9.3.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 16. When storing organic liquids of TVP less than 0.5 psia, any component leak shall be repaired to a leak-free condition or vented to a flare satisfying the requirements of 40 CFR 60.18 or to a vapor control device that is at least 95 percent efficient as measured by EPA Method 18 or 25 within fifteen (15) calendar days of detection. The APCO may grant a ten (10) calendar day extension provided the operator demonstrates that necessary and sufficient actions are being taken to correct the leak within this time period. Any vapor control device, other than a flare, used to comply with this condition shall demonstrate at least 95% control efficiency as measured by EPA Method 18 or 25 at least annually. [District Rule 2520, 9.3.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 17. When storing organic liquids of TVP less than 0.5 psia, if the leaking component is an essential part of a critical process unit which cannot be immediately shut down for repairs, the operator shall 1) Minimize the leak within 15 calendar days; and 2) If the leak which has been minimized still exceeds the concentration allowed by this permit, the essential component shall be repaired to eliminate the leak during the next process unit turnaround, but in no case later than one year from the date of the original leak detection. A critical process unit is any process unit which would result in the automatic shutdown of other process units if it were shut down. [District Rule 2520, 9.3.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 18. When storing organic liquids of TVP less than 0.5 psia, operator shall maintain an inspection log containing the following 1) Type of component leaking; 2) Date of leak detection, and method of detection; 3) Date and emission level of recheck after leak is repaired; 4) Identification and location of essential parts of critical process units found leaking that cannot be repaired until the next process unit turnaround; and 5) Method used to minimize the leak from essential parts of critical process units which cannot be repaired until the next process unit turnaround. [District Rule 2520, 9.3.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit—

PERMITURE REQUIREMENTS CONTINUE ON NEXT PAGE
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Facility Name: CHEVRON USA INC

Location: CHEVYON USA INC Location: HEAVY OIL PRODUCTION, UTM 10S 734,027E 4,087,848N COALINGA, FRESNO COUNTY, CA 93210 C-311-265-1\* May 13 2015 8:02AM - TORID

19. {941} The operator of a fixed roof tank shall maintain all records of required monitoring data and support information for inspection at any time for a period of five years. [District Rule 2520, 9.4.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

#### San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District

**PERMIT UNIT:** C-311-266-1

SECTION: NE 24 TOWNSHIP: 20S RANGE: 14E

**EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION:** 

250 BBL CRUDE OIL DRAIN TANK CLAREMONT T-6

#### PERMIT UNIT REQUIREMENTS

- This tank shall only store, place, or hold organic liquid with a true vapor pressure (TVP) less than 0.1 psia under all storage conditions. [District Rules 2201 and 4623] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- Crude oil throughput shall not exceed 50 barrels per day based on a monthly average. [District Rules 2201 and 4623] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 3. VOC emission rate from the tank shall not exceed 0.5 lb/day. [District Rules 2201 and 4623] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- Operator shall determine the true vapor pressure of the petroleum liquid stored in the tank within 60 days of startup in accordance with the methods described in this permit. [District Rules 2201 and 4623] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- Operator shall determine the true vapor pressure (TVP) of the petroleum liquid stored in this tank at least once every 24 months in accordance with the methods described in this permit. Determinations shall be made during the months of July - September and whenever there is a change in the source or type of organic liquid entering the tank. Determination can be made using representative sampling as described in Section 6.2.1.1 of District Rule 4623. [District Rules 2201 and 4623] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- The TVP testing shall be conducted at actual storage temperature of the organic liquid in the tank. The permittee shall also conduct an API gravity testing. [District Rule 4623] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- For crude oil with an API gravity of 26 degrees or less, the TVP shall be determined using the latest version of the Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory "test Method for Vapor pressure of Reactive Organic Compounds in Heavy Crude Oil Using Gas Chromatograph", as approved by ARB and EPA. [District Rule 4623] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- The API gravity of crude oil or petroleum distillate shall be determined by using ASTM Method D 287 e1 "Standard Test Method for API Gravity of Crude Petroleum and Petroleum Products (Hydrometer Method). Sampling for API gravity shall be performed in accordance with ASTM Method D 4057 "Standard Practices for Manual Sampling of Petroleum and Petroleum Products." [District Rule 4623] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- Permittee shall maintain records of TVP and API gravity testing. The records shall include the tank identification number, Permit to Operate number, type of stored organic liquid, TVP and API gravity of the organic liquid, test methods used, and a copy of the test results. [District Rule 4623] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 10. Permittee shall maintain monthly records of average daily crude oil throughput and shall keep accurate records of each organic liquid stored in the tank, including its storage temperature, TVP, and API gravity. [District Rules 2201 and 4623] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

PERMIT UNIT REQUIREMENTS CONTINUE ON NEXT PAGE These terms and conditions are part of the Facility-wide Permit to Operate.

Facility Name: CHEVRON USA INC

Location: HEAVY OIL PRODUCTION, UTM 10S 734,027E 4,007, 848N COALINGA, FRESNO COUNTY, CA 93210 C-311-286-1: May 13 2015 8:022M - TORID

11. All records required to be maintained by this permit shall be maintained for a period of at least five years and shall be made readily available for District inspection upon request. [District Rules 2201 and 4623] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

# ATTACHMENT B

Current Permit C-311-111-6

#### San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District

**PERMIT UNIT:** C-311-111-6 **EXPIRATION DATE: 12/31/2016** 

SECTION: 13 TOWNSHIP: 20S RANGE: 14E

**EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION:** 

TEOR OPERATION WITH 70 STEAM ENHANCED WELLS SERVED BY WELL VENT VAPOR CONTROL SYSTEM #CC-1-13D WITH SEPARATOR, LOW PRESSURE AIR COOLER AND CONDENSATE COLLECTOR (13 D SOUTHEAST)

#### PERMIT UNIT REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Operation of the low pressure air cooler is optional. [District NSR Rule] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 2. Maximum VOC content of the gas in the casing gas collection system shall not exceed 10% by weight. [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- An operator shall not operate a steam-enhanced crude oil production well unless the operator complies with either of the following requirements: The steam-enhanced crude oil production well vent is closed and the front line production equipment downstream of the wells that carry produced fluids (crude oil or mixture of crude oil and water) is connected to a VOC collection and control system as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401, the well vent may be temporarily opened during periods of attended service or repair of the well provided such activity is done as expeditiously as possible with minimal spillage of material and VOC emissions to the atmosphere, or the steamenhanced crude oil production well vent is open and the well vent is connected to a VOC collection and control system as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401. [District Rules 2201 and 4401, 5.5.1 and 5.5.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- Collected vapors shall be piped to 1) District steam generators approved by the District for TEOR gas incineration, or 2) DOGGR approved vapor disposal well(s), or 3) balanced piping network. [District Rules 2201 and 4401] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- Permittee shall provide District with a copy of DOGGR approval for each vapor disposal well prior to use for vapor injection. [District Rule 1070 and 2520, 9.3.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- Operator shall test the VOC content of the TEOR vapors no less than annually. [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 7. The VOC content by weight percent (wt.%) shall be determined using American Society of Testing and Materials (ASTM) D1945 for gases and South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) Method 304-91 or the latest revision of ASTM Method E168, E169 or E260 for liquids. [District Rule 4401, 6.3.4] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- During the time any steam-enhanced crude oil production well is undergoing service or repair while the well is not producing, it shall be exempt from the emission control requirements of District Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 4.1] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- Gas and liquid leaks are as defined in Section 3.20 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 3.20] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 10. The inspection requirements of Section 5.4.1 through Section 5.4.7 of Rule 4401 shall not apply to components exclusively handling gas/vapor or liquid with a VOC content of ten percent by weight (10%) or less, as determined by the test methods in Section 6.3.4 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 4.7] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

PERMIT UNIT REQUIREMENTS CONTINUE ON NEXT PAGE These terms and conditions are part of the Facility-wide Permit to Operate.

- 20. Each hatch shall be closed at all times except during sampling or adding of process material through the hatch, or during attended repair, replacement, or maintenance operations, provided such activities are done as expeditiously as possible with minimal spillage of material and VOC emissions to the atmosphere. [District Rule 4401, 5.3.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 21. An operator shall comply with the requirements of Section 6.7 of Rule 4401 if there is any change in the description of major components or critical components. [District Rule 4401, 5.3.3] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 22. An operator shall affix a readily visible weatherproof tag to a leaking component upon detection of the leak and shall include the following information on the tag: date and time of leak detection, date and time of leak measurement, for a gaseous leak, the leak concentration in ppmv, for a liquid leak, whether it is a major liquid leak or a minor liquid leak, whether the component is an essential component, an unsafe-to monitor component, or a critical component. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.1] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 23. An operator shall keep the tag affixed to the component until an operator has met all of the following conditions: repaired or replaced the leaking component, re-inspected the component using the test method in Section 6.3.3, and the component is found to be in compliance with the requirements of this rule. [District Rule 4401 5.5.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 24. An operator shall minimize a component leak in order to stop or reduce leakage to the atmosphere immediately to the extent possible, but not later than one (1) hour after detection of the leak. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.3] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 25. Except for leaking critical components or leaking essential components subject to the requirements of Section 5.5.7 of Rule 4401, if an operator has minimized a leak but the leak still exceeds the applicable leak limits as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401, an operator shall comply with at least one of the following requirements as soon as practicable but not later than the time period specified in Table 3 of Rule 4401: Repair or replace the leaking component; or vent the leaking component to a VOC collection and control system as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401, or remove the leaking component from operation. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.4] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 26. The repair period in calendar days shall not exceed 14 days for minor gas leaks, 5 days for major gas leaks less than or equal to 50,000 ppmv, 2 days for gas leak greater than 50,000 ppmv, 3 days for minor liquid leaks, 2 days for major liquid leaks. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.4] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 27. The leak rate measured after leak minimization has been performed shall be the leak rate used to determine the applicable repair period specified in Table 3 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.5] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 28. The time of the initial leak detection shall be the start of the repair period specified in Table 3 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.6] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 29. If the leaking component is an essential component or a critical component that cannot be immediately shut down for repairs, and if the leak has been minimized but the leak still exceeds the applicable leak standard of this rule, the operator shall repair or replace the essential component or critical component to eliminate the leak during the next process unit turnaround, but in no case later than one year from the date of the original leak detection, whichever comes earlier. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.7] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 30. The operator of any steam-enhanced crude oil production well shall maintain records of the date and well identification where steam injection or well stimulation occurs. [District Rule 4401, 6.1.1] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 31. An operator of any steam-enhanced crude oil production well shall keep source test records which demonstrate compliance with the control efficiency requirements of the VOC collection and control system as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 6.1.3] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 32. Operator of any steam-enhanced crude oil production well shall keep an inspection log maintained pursuant to Section 6.4 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 6.1.4] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

- 44. Leak inspection, other than audio-visual, and measurements of gaseous leak concentrations shall be conducted according to EPA Method 21 using an appropriate portable hydrocarbon detection instrument calibrated with methane. The instrument shall be calibrated in accordance with the procedures specified in EPA Method 21 or the manufacturer's instruction, as appropriate, not more than 30 days prior to its use. The operator shall record the calibration date of the instrument. Where safety is a concern, such as measuring leaks from compressor seals or pump seals when the shaft is rotating, a person shall measure leaks by placing the instrument probe inlet at a distance of one (1) centimeter or less from the surface of the component interface. [District Rule 4401, 6.3.3] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 45. Operator shall maintain an inspection log in which an operator records, at a minimum, all of the following information for each inspection performed: The total number of components inspected, total number and percentage of leaking components found by component type, location, type, and name or description of each leaking component and description of any unit where the leaking component is found, date of leak detection and the method of leak detection. For gaseous leaks, the leak concentration in ppmv, and for liquid leaks record whether the leak is a major liquid leak or a minor liquid leak. the date of repair, replacement, or removal from operation of leaking components, identify and location of essential components and critical components found leaking that cannot be repaired until the next process unit turnaround or not later than one year after leak detection, whichever comes earlier, methods used to minimize the leak from essential components and critical components found leaking that cannot be repaired until the next process unit turnaround or not later than one year after leak detection, whichever comes earlier, the date of re-inspection and the leak concentration in ppmv after the component is repaired or is replaced, the inspector's name, business mailing address, and business telephone number, date and signature of the facility operator responsible for the inspection and repair program certifying the accuracy of the information recorded in the log. [District Rule 4401, 6.4] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 46. Permittee shall establish and implement an employee training program for inspecting and repairing components and recordkeeping procedures, as necessary. [District Rule 4401, 6.5] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 47. In accordance with the approved Operator Management Plan (OMP), permittee shall meet all applicable operating, leak standards, inspection and re-inspection, leak repair, record keeping, and notification requirements of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 6.6] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 48. By January 30 of each year, permittee shall submit to the APCO for approval, in writing, an annual report indicating any changes to the existing, approved OMP. [District Rule 4401, 6.7] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 49. Compliance with permit conditions in the Title V permit shall be deemed in compliance with the following requirements: County Rules 108 (Kings), 108.1 (Fresno, Merced, San Joaquin, Tulare, Kern, and Stanislaus), and 110 (Madera). A permit shield is granted from these requirements. [District Rule 2520, 13.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 50. The requirements of SJVUAPCD Rule 4407 (Adopted May 19, 1994) do not apply to this permit unit. A permit shield is granted from this requirement. [District Rule 2520, 13.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 51. Permittee shall maintain a current roster of all wells connected to this system. [District NSR Rule and 4401] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 52. Records of the VOC content of the gas shall be maintained and made readily available for District inspection upon request for a period of 5 years. [District Rules 1070 and 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 53. The operator shall maintain all records of required monitoring data and support information for inspection at any time for a period of five years. [District Rule 2520, 9.5.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

## ATTACHMENT C

Authority to Construct Permits C-311-265-0 and '266-0





## **AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT**

PERMIT NO: C-311-111-7

**ISSUANCE DATE:** 09/23/2014

LEGAL OWNER OR OPERATOR: CHEVRON USA INC

PO BOX 1392

**MAILING ADDRESS:** 

BAKERSFIELD, CA 93302

LOCATION:

**HEAVY OIL PRODUCTION** 

UTM 10S 734,027E 4,007,848N COALINGA

FRESNO COUNTY, CA 93210

SECTION: 13 TOWNSHIP: 20S RANGE: 14E

**EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION:** 

MODIFICATION OF TEOR OPERATION WITH 70 STEAM ENHANCED WELLS SERVED BY WELL VENT VAPOR CONTROL SYSTEM #CC-1-13D WITH SEPARATOR, LOW PRESSURE AIR COOLER AND CONDENSATE COLLECTOR (13D SOUTHEAST): CONNECT VESSEL C-311-265 TO VAPOR CONTROL SYSTEM

#### CONDITIONS

- 1. The facility shall submit an application to modify the Title V permit in accordance with the timeframes and procedures of District Rule 2520. [District Rule 2520] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 2. Operation of the low pressure air cooler is optional. [District NSR Rule] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 3. Maximum VOC content of the gas in the casing gas collection system shall not exceed 10% by weight. [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 4. An operator shall not operate a steam-enhanced crude oil production well unless the operator complies with either of the following requirements: The steam-enhanced crude oil production well vent is closed and the front line production equipment downstream of the wells that carry produced fluids (crude oil or mixture of crude oil and water) is connected to a VOC collection and control system as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401, the well vent may be temporarily opened during periods of attended service or repair of the well provided such activity is done as expeditiously as possible with minimal spillage of material and VOC emissions to the atmosphere, or the steam-enhanced crude oil production well vent is open and the well vent is connected to a VOC collection and control system as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401. [District Rules 2201 and 4401, 5.5.1 and 5.5.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

#### CONDITIONS CONTINUE ON NEXT PAGE

YOU MUST NOTIFY THE DISTRICT COMPLIANCE DIVISION AT (559) 230-5950 WHEN CONSTRUCTION IS COMPLETED AND PRIOR TO OPERATING THE EQUIPMENT OR MODIFICATIONS AUTHORIZED BY THIS AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT. This is NOT a PERMIT TO OPERATE. Approval or denial of a PERMIT TO OPERATE will be made after an inspection to verify that the equipment has been constructed in accordance with the approved plans, specifications and conditions of this Authority to Construct, and to determine if the equipment can be operated in compliance with all Rules and Regulations of the San Joaquin Valley Unified Air Pollution Control District. Unless construction has commenced pursuant to Rule 2050, this Authority to Construct shall expire and application shall be cancelled two years from the date of issuance. The applicant is responsible for complying with all laws, ordinances and regulations of all other governmental agencies which may pertain to the above equipment.

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- 18. An operator shall be in violation of this rule if any District inspection demonstrates or if any operator inspection conducted pursuant to Section 5.4 of Rule 4401 demonstrates the existence of an open-ended line or a valve located at the end of the line that is not sealed with a blind flange, plug, cap, or a second closed valve that is not closed at all times, except during attended operations as defined by Section 5.2.2.1 of Rule 4401 requiring process fluid flow through the open-ended lines, a component with a major liquid leak, or a component with a gas leak greater than 50,000 ppmv. Notwithstanding the above, wells that are not operating are exempt from these requirements while undergoing service or repair. [District Rule 4401, 4.0, 5.2.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 19. An operator shall be in violation of this rule if any District inspection demonstrates or if any operator inspection conducted pursuant to Section 5.4 of Rule 4401 demonstrates the existence of any combination of components with minor liquid leaks, minor gas leaks, or a gas leaks greater than 10,000 ppmv up to 50,000 ppmv that totals more than number of leaks allowed by Table 2 of Rule 4401. Notwithstanding the above, wells that are not operating are exempt from these requirements while undergoing service or repair. [District Rule 4401, 4.0, 5.2.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 20. An operator shall not use any component with a leak as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401, or that is found to be in violation of the provisions of Section 5.2.2 of Rule 4401. However, components that were found leaking may be used provided such leaking components have been identified with a tag for repair, are repaired, or awaiting re-inspection after being repaired within the applicable time frame specified in Section 5.5 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 5.3.1] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 21. Each hatch shall be closed at all times except during sampling or adding of process material through the hatch, or during attended repair, replacement, or maintenance operations, provided such activities are done as expeditiously as possible with minimal spillage of material and VOC emissions to the atmosphere. [District Rule 4401, 5.3.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 22. An operator shall comply with the requirements of Section 6.7 of Rule 4401 if there is any change in the description of major components or critical components. [District Rule 4401, 5.3.3] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 23. An operator shall affix a readily visible weatherproof tag to a leaking component upon detection of the leak and shall include the following information on the tag: date and time of leak detection, date and time of leak measurement, for a gaseous leak, the leak concentration in ppmv, for a liquid leak, whether it is a major liquid leak or a minor liquid leak, whether the component is an essential component, an unsafe-to monitor component, or a critical component. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.1] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 24. An operator shall keep the tag affixed to the component until an operator has met all of the following conditions: repaired or replaced the leaking component, re-inspected the component using the test method in Section 6.3.3, and the component is found to be in compliance with the requirements of this rule. [District Rule 4401 5.5.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 25. An operator shall minimize a component leak in order to stop or reduce leakage to the atmosphere immediately to the extent possible, but not later than one (1) hour after detection of the leak. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.3] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 26. Except for leaking critical components or leaking essential components subject to the requirements of Section 5.5.7 of Rule 4401, if an operator has minimized a leak but the leak still exceeds the applicable leak limits as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401, an operator shall comply with at least one of the following requirements as soon as practicable but not later than the time period specified in Table 3 of Rule 4401: Repair or replace the leaking component; or vent the leaking component to a VOC collection and control system as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401, or remove the leaking component from operation. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.4] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 27. The repair period in calendar days shall not exceed 14 days for minor gas leaks, 5 days for major gas leaks less than or equal to 50,000 ppmv, 2 days for gas leak greater than 50,000 ppmv, 3 days for minor liquid leaks, 2 days for major liquid leaks, [District Rule 4401, 5.5.4] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 28. The leak rate measured after leak minimization has been performed shall be the leak rate used to determine the applicable repair period specified in Table 3 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.5] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 29. The time of the initial leak detection shall be the start of the repair period specified in Table 3 of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.6] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

- 43. The control efficiency of any VOC control device, measured and calculated as carbon, shall be determined by EPA Method 25, except when the outlet concentration must be below 50 ppm in order to meet the standard, in which case EPA Method 25a may be used. EPA Method 18 may be used in lieu of EPA Method 25 or EPA Method 25a provided the identity and approximate concentrations of the analytes/compounds in the sample gas stream are known before analysis with the gas chromatograph and the gas chromatograph is calibrated for each of those known analyte/compound to ensure that the VOC concentrations are neither under- or over-reported. [District Rule 4401, 6.3.1] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 44. VOC content shall be analyzed by using the latest revision of ASTM Method E168, E169, or E260 as applicable.

  Analysis of halogenated exempt compounds shall be performed by using ARB Method 432. [District Rule 4401, 6.3.2]

  Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 45. Leak inspection, other than audio-visual, and measurements of gaseous leak concentrations shall be conducted according to EPA Method 21 using an appropriate portable hydrocarbon detection instrument calibrated with methane. The instrument shall be calibrated in accordance with the procedures specified in EPA Method 21 or the manufacturer's instruction, as appropriate, not more than 30 days prior to its use. The operator shall record the calibration date of the instrument. Where safety is a concern, such as measuring leaks from compressor seals or pump seals when the shaft is rotating, a person shall measure leaks by placing the instrument probe inlet at a distance of one (1) centimeter or less from the surface of the component interface. [District Rule 4401, 6.3.3] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 46. Operator shall maintain an inspection log in which an operator records, at a minimum, all of the following information for each inspection performed: The total number of components inspected, total number and percentage of leaking components found by component type, location, type, and name or description of each leaking component and description of any unit where the leaking component is found, date of leak detection and the method of leak detection. For gaseous leaks, the leak concentration in ppmv, and for liquid leaks record whether the leak is a major liquid leak or a minor liquid leak. the date of repair, replacement, or removal from operation of leaking components, identify and location of essential components and critical components found leaking that cannot be repaired until the next process unit turnaround or not later than one year after leak detection, whichever comes earlier, methods used to minimize the leak from essential components and critical components found leaking that cannot be repaired until the next process unit turnaround or not later than one year after leak detection, whichever comes earlier, the date of re-inspection and the leak concentration in ppmv after the component is repaired or is replaced, the inspector's name, business mailing address, and business telephone number, date and signature of the facility operator responsible for the inspection and repair program certifying the accuracy of the information recorded in the log. [District Rule 4401, 6.4] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 47. Permittee shall establish and implement an employee training program for inspecting and repairing components and recordkeeping procedures, as necessary. [District Rule 4401, 6.5] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 48. In accordance with the approved Operator Management Plan (OMP), permittee shall meet all applicable operating, leak standards, inspection and re-inspection, leak repair, record keeping, and notification requirements of Rule 4401. [District Rule 4401, 6.6] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 49. By January 30 of each year, permittee shall submit to the APCO for approval, in writing, an annual report indicating any changes to the existing, approved OMP. [District Rule 4401, 6.7] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 50. Compliance with permit conditions in the Title V permit shall be deemed in compliance with the following requirements: County Rules 108 (Kings), 108.1 (Fresno, Merced, San Joaquin, Tulare, Kern, and Stanislaus), and 110 (Madera). A permit shield is granted from these requirements. [District Rule 2520, 13.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 51. The requirements of SJVUAPCD Rule 4407 (Adopted May 19, 1994) do not apply to this permit unit. A permit shield is granted from this requirement. [District Rule 2520, 13.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 52. Permittee shall maintain a current roster of all wells connected to this system. [District NSR Rule and 4401] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 53. Records of the VOC content of the gas shall be maintained and made readily available for District inspection upon request for a period of 5 years. [District Rules 1070 and 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit





### **AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT**

**PERMIT NO: C-311-265-0** 

**ISSUANCE DATE: 09/23/2014** 

**LEGAL OWNER OR OPERATOR: CHEVRON USA INC** 

**MAILING ADDRESS:** 

PO BOX 1392

BAKERSFIELD, CA 93302

LOCATION:

**HEAVY OIL PRODUCTION** 

UTM 10S 734,027E 4,007,848N COALINGA

FRESNO COUNTY, CA 93210

SECTION: NE 24 TOWNSHIP: 20S RANGE: 14E

**EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION:** 

1000 BBL VESSEL CLAREMONT V-1 (SILVER BULLET) SERVED BY VAPOR CONTROL SYSTEM LISTED ON C-311-

#### **CONDITIONS**

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## Permit Application For:

[ ] ADMINISTRATIVE AMENDMENT	[ X ] MINOR MOI	DIFICATION [	] SIGNIFICANT MODIFICATION
1. PERMIT TO BE ISSUED TO:			
CHEVRON U.S.A. INC.			
2. MAILING ADDRESS:	\$	V-10	
STREET/P.O. BOX: <b>PO BOX 1392</b>			·
CITY: BAKERSFIELD	STATE: CA	101-101-101-101-101-101-101-101-101-101	9-DIGIT  ZIP CODE: 93302
3. LOCATION WHERE THE EQUIPMENT WILL BE OPERATED:			INSTALLATION DATE:
STREET: Fresno County Heavy Oil Produ	uction CITY:		_
4 SECTION 24 TOWNSHIP		E	
4. GENERAL NATURE OF BUSINESS:	-		
Oil and Gas Production			
<ol> <li>DESCRIPTION OF EQUIPMENT OR MODIFICATION FOR WHICH APPLICATION IS MADE (include Permit #'s if known, and use additional sheets if necessary)</li> </ol>			
Implement C-311-111-7, '265-0 and '266-0 - Silver Bullet vented to SE TEOR system and 250 Bbl drain tank			
6. TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF APPLICANT: Gregory E. Pritchett	4100	-	TITLE OF APPLICANT: SJVBU HES Manager
7. SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT:		DATE:	PHONE: (661) 654-7145
Yance El for Gregory	E Prelikett	9/24/14	FAX: (661) 654-7004  EMAIL: Lance.Ericksen@chevron.com
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DATE STAMP	FILING FEE RECEIVED : \$		CHECK#:
	DATE PAID:		
	PROJECT NO: C-	1142652	FACILITY ID: (-31)





#### AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT

PERMIT NO: C-311-111-7

**ISSUANCE DATE: 09/23/2014** 

**LEGAL OWNER OR OPERATOR: CHEVRON USA INC** 

PO BOX 1392

MAILING ADDRESS:

BAKERSFIELD, CA 93302

LOCATION:

**HEAVY OIL PRODUCTION** 

UTM 10S 734,027E 4,007,848N COALINGA

FRESNO COUNTY, CA 93210

SECTION: 13 TOWNSHIP: 20S

RANGE: 14E

**EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION:** 

MODIFICATION OF TEOR OPERATION WITH 70 STEAM ENHANCED WELLS SERVED BY WELL VENT VAPOR CONTROL SYSTEM #CC-1-13D WITH SEPARATOR, LOW PRESSURE AIR COOLER AND CONDENSATE COLLECTOR (13D SOUTHEAST): CONNECT VESSEL C-311-265 TO VAPOR CONTROL SYSTEM

#### CONDITIONS

- The facility shall submit an application to modify the Title V permit in accordance with the timeframes and procedures · 1. of District Rule 2520. [District Rule 2520] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
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- 21. Each hatch shall be closed at all times except during sampling or adding of process material through the hatch, or during attended repair, replacement, or maintenance operations, provided such activities are done as expeditiously as possible with minimal spillage of material and VOC emissions to the atmosphere. [District Rule 4401, 5.3.2] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 22. An operator shall comply with the requirements of Section 6.7 of Rule 4401 if there is any change in the description of major components or critical components. [District Rule 4401, 5.3.3] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 23. An operator shall affix a readily visible weatherproof tag to a leaking component upon detection of the leak and shall include the following information on the tag: date and time of leak detection, date and time of leak measurement, for a gaseous leak, the leak concentration in ppmv, for a liquid leak, whether it is a major liquid leak or a minor liquid leak, whether the component is an essential component, an unsafe-to monitor component, or a critical component. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.1] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
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- 25. An operator shall minimize a component leak in order to stop or reduce leakage to the atmosphere immediately to the extent possible, but not later than one (1) hour after detection of the leak. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.3] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
- 26. Except for leaking critical components or leaking essential components subject to the requirements of Section 5.5.7 of Rule 4401, if an operator has minimized a leak but the leak still exceeds the applicable leak limits as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401, an operator shall comply with at least one of the following requirements as soon as practicable but not later than the time period specified in Table 3 of Rule 4401: Repair or replace the leaking component; or vent the leaking component to a VOC collection and control system as defined in Section 3.0 of Rule 4401, or remove the leaking component from operation. [District Rule 4401, 5.5.4] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
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**PERMIT NO:** C-311-265-0

**ISSUANCE DATE: 09/23/2014** 

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MAILING ADDRESS:

PO BOX 1392

BAKERSFIELD, CA 93302

LOCATION:

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UTM 10S 734,027E 4,007,848N COALINGA

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